# **Pre-Bid Meeting Minutes**

October 5, 2015, 1:00pm

Cherokee County Long-Arm Mowing Contract ID: DN-11534152 Bid Opening: October 13, 2015

## **Preparation and Submission of Bids**

- 1. Submit the entire proposal document. Do not separate the bid form from the proposal document. Do not add or delete any contract language or line items.
- 2. Bidders are responsible to attend any scheduled mandatory pre-bid meeting.
- 3. Write in ink. No white out, strike through changes and initial.
- 4. Include unit price and amount bid price for every line item. Unit prices will be used if there is a mathematical error. Bid prices shall be rounded off to no more than 4 decimal places.

#### **Job Specific Information**

- Bid Opening Date and Location All bids now opened in Div 14 Office in Sylva
  - Tuesday, October 13, 2015, 2:00 pm
- Start Date & Completion Date
  - October 27, 2015-Contract Availability Date
  - April 22, 2016-Contract Completion Date
- Necessary Level of Traffic Control
- Contractor is responsible for all utility locations
- Discussion of Hourly Mowing Bid item

- Discussion of Fuel Price Adjustment
  - o September 2015 Current OPIS Average Base Price (B): \$1.4789
- No Separate payment for mobilization
- Equipment requirements, specifications, min. # of tractors
- Measurement and Payment
  - o Unit of Measure: Shoulder Mile & Hourly
  - o Review of Vicinity Map, Work Location,
  - o Review of Typical Section, Limits of Work
- Shadow Vehicle discussion
  - o Required Signage
  - o Required lighting per each vehicle
  - o No separate payment for this vehicle, incidental to operation
- Contract is subject to availability of funds.
- Reviewed line items, estimated quantities, unit of measurements
- Execution of Contract, Debarment Certifications, Non-Collusion Affidavit

## Addendum #1:

Proposal language indicates Flaggers to be paid at an (hourly) rate. Bid form states man/day (MD). I recommend that the proposal indicate man/day (MD)

#### Addendum #2:

Flaggers will be required while mowing route NC 141. Flaggers will be required while mowing US 64 between SR1548 (Old US 64) and Clay County.